

**RESOLUTION NO. 130**  
**Teamsters Local 688**

**WHEREAS**, on June 17 a boycott of Schnucks markets was launched by the men and women of Teamsters Local 688 in protest of the more than 200 union warehouse jobs Schnucks slated for elimination; and

**WHEREAS**, two months earlier the grocer announced it would open a new \$100 million, 915,000-square-foot warehousing facility and staff it with non-union workers; and

**WHEREAS**, the outsourcing of warehousing and distribution operations to a non-union subcontractor will leave hundreds of Teamsters either without a job or working for lower wages and fewer benefits; and

**WHEREAS**, Teamsters Local 688 has contributed greatly to the growth and success of Schnucks markets for decades and warehouse workers, specifically, have ensured food products are handled with care and delivered to area stores in pristine condition and on-time; and

**NOW THEREFORE IT BE RESOLVED** by the Board of Aldermen of the City of St. Louis that we pause in our deliberations to recognize the hard working brothers and sisters of Teamsters Local 688 and their service to our community. We further direct the Clerk of this Board to include a copy of this Resolution in the minutes of these proceedings and to prepare a commemorative copy for presentation at a time and place deemed appropriate by the Sponsor.

Introduced on the 7th of October, 2016, by:

**The Honorable Lewis E. Reed, President, Board of Aldermen**  
**The Honorable Larry Arnowitz, Alderman 12th Ward**  
**The Honorable Joseph Vaccaro, Alderman 23rd Ward**

Adopted the 7th day of October, 2016, as attested by:

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Timothy G. O'Connell  
Clerk, Board of Aldermen

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Lewis E. Reed  
President, Board of Aldermen